

State of California
Department of Parks and Recreation

NOTICE OF EXEMPTION

TO: Office of Planning and Research
1400 Tenth Street
Sacramento, CA 95814

FROM: Department of Parks and Recreation
Central Valley District
22708 Broadway Street
Columbia, CA 95310

PROJECT TITLE: Eagle Cotage & Columbia Gazette North Side Repairs

LOCATION: Columbia State Historic Park

COUNTY: Tuolumne

DESCRIPTION OF THE NATURE AND PURPOSE OF PROJECT: Repair and repaint the degenerated areas in the front portion of the Eagle Cotage and Columbia Gazette at Columbia State Historic Park to increase visual aesthetics of the front of the building and increase visitor safety. Work will restore or replace windows, doors, sills, jambs; broken window panes; remove paint buildup on the parapet moldings and refasten the existing material; repaint the front of the building; and rebuild old dilapidated fence. Excavate three 1' L X 1' W X 18" D holes behind the Eagle Cotage; insert 36" high posts; fill holes with concrete for stability; and attach horizontal and vertical flute and bead pickets to cap rail and bottom rail to create the existing fence pattern. All work will be done "in-kind" to retain the historic look of this structure and will be photo documented.

This Notice of Exemption (NOE) supersedes the NOE filed for the Eagle Cotage North Side Repairs Project on October 17, 2011 (SCH# 2011108195).

PUBLIC AGENCY APPROVING THE PROJECT: California Department of Parks and Recreation

NAME OF DIVISION OR DISTRICT CARRYING OUT THE PROJECT: Central Valley District

EXEMPT STATUS:

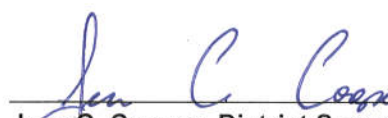
- ☐ Declared Emergency (Section 15269(a))
☐ Emergency Project (Section 15269(b) and (c))
Statutory Exemption (Section:)
☒ Categorical Exemption

Class: 1, 2, 4 Section: 15301, 15302, 15304

REASONS WHY PROJECT IS EXEMPT: Project consists of the repair and maintenance of existing public structures involving negligible or no expansion of use beyond that existing at the time of the lead agency's determination; replacement or reconstruction of existing structures where the new structure will be located on the same site as the structure replaced and will have substantially the same purpose and capacity as the structure replaced; and minor public alterations in the condition of land, water, and/or vegetation which do not involve removal of healthy, mature, scenic trees.

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Jess C. Cooper, District Superintendent
DATE 1/31/13

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